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WOODYATT IS FOUND GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER

KANSAS GOVERNOR IN SCATHING ATTACK ON KLAN AND CATHOLICS

Religious Bigotry and Community Hatred Objects of Broadside.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Great Bend, Kansas, Oct. 31.—One pistol shot could produce a state of civil war in Kansas similar to that in Ireland, according to Governor Henry J. Allen, who continued his attack on the Ku Klux Klan here yesterday.

His speech was a part of a series of political addresses he is making in a pre-election tour of the state, but the latter portion of it was devoted to a scathing denunciation of religious bigotry and community hatred.

The Governor denounced certain types of Catholics and members of the Klan in the same breath, telling them that they should both be ashamed of themselves.

"You are both to blame," he asserted. "You Catholics who go out and say: 'I don't vote for a man who is not a Catholic. I am going to put my political attitude behind my religion.' You ought to be ashamed of yourselves, and you men who join this Klan and say: 'There is an order that exists for the protection of white supremacy and to save us from the Catholic church,' you ought to be ashamed; honestly, you ought to be ashamed."

Pointing out that he was not condemning the Klan for any personal beliefs or prejudices, the executive said:

"I am not against your organization because you don't like the Catholic church. I am not a Catholic. I am a Methodist and a 32nd degree Mason and a Knight Templar. I belong to everything, except the Knights of Columbus and the Ku Klux Klan, and I wouldn't join either of them."

SCANDAL BREWS IN EDUCATIONAL BODY IN CHICAGO

Special Prosecutor is Called By Cook Co. Grand Jurors.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Oct. 31.—The special grand jury investigating alleged graft in school board transactions today awaited the reply of John J. Healy, former State's Attorney of Cook county, who was asked by the jury to take charge of the inquiry. The demand for Healy followed the resignation of I. T. Greenacre as special assistant State's Attorney.

Four new indictments were returned against school trustees for malfeasance of office. For the first time women trustees were named. Dr. Sadie Bay Adair and Mrs. Pauline E. Strowling were indicted with Edwin S. Davis and Albert H. Severinghaus, named in previous bills.

Meanwhile Judge McKinley was investigating an alleged plot to bribe members of the grand jury.

While the grand jury was continuing its inquiry the Board of Education met in a stormy session at which Trustee Hart Hanson charged irregularities in the purchase of \$100,000 worth of floor brushes and other alleged graft. Hanson's ally on the board, J. Lewis Coath, declared that "before we get through we will stop hoodlums to the extent that the tax payers are saved \$5,000,000."

"Hereafter," he said, "when I am mentioned in connection with this school board I want to be identified as 'Trustee Coath, N. I.—not indicted.'"

Sale of M. K. & T. Has Been Postponed

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 31.—(By the Associated Press)—Sale of the M. K. & T. Railroad and its branches, scheduled to begin today, again has been postponed because the Interstate Commerce Commission has not acted on a postponed issuance of new securities. It was announced here today. Sale of the line would terminate formally the receivership in which the road has been since 1915.

FOUR CARNIVAL EMPLOYEES DEAD IN TRAIN WRECK

Wortham Show People in Wreck in Louisiana This Morn.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

New Orleans, La., Oct. 31.—A Southern Pacific Railroad passenger train bound westward from New Orleans, crashed into the rear end of the Wortham Carnival Company special train early today near Adeline, La., according to reports reaching here. Four persons were reported killed and five seriously injured.

The fast passenger train smashed through a sleeping car on the carnival train occupied by the show folks who were asleep. The accident occurred at about 3 o'clock this morning.

OFFICIAL REPORT

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Houston, Texas, Oct. 31.—Local officers of the Southern Pacific state three or four employees of the Wortham Shows were fatally injured and six or seven other persons injured in the wreck at Adeline, La., early this morning.

Both trains were proceeding westward on a portion of the road that is double-tracked. The locomotive of the passenger train plowed through two of the sleepers on the rear end of the circus train before it was brought to a standstill, and according to stories told by the injured, the circus performers who were asleep were hurled from their berths as the Pullmans burst open from the terrific impact.

Immediately following the crash, calls for assistance were sent to nearby towns and ambulances, physicians and nurses were rushed to the scene, and the dead and injured were taken to Patterson, La.

Passengers on the Sunshine Express added the train crews in chopping open portions of the Pullmans where other circus folk were trapped and crying out for rescue as fire was feared. All were believed rescued.

Among those injured were Miss Irene Murphy, Mrs. Hugh Jones, Charles Fiorar and Fred Miller. They will recover, physicians said.

According to the survivors in the Patterson Sanitarium, the circus train was proceeding westward under orders. When it reached Adeline, it was ordered to allow a freight train going east to pass. The brakeman lighted his red flares and went back to the circus train.

When the Sunset Express pulled in behind, the engineer saw the flares and stopped his train until they died down, and then proceeded. He did not see the rear end lights of the circus train until almost on top of it. It is claimed, as his eyes were blinded by the searchlight of the locomotive pulling the freight train.

Iowa Students Were Regular Sportsmen

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Iowa City, Iowa, Oct. 31.—A bright page in collegian sportsmanship was written at the University of Iowa Friday night when the Sigma Epsilon fraternity turned its house over to the Purdue football team while the fraternity brothers took the team's rooms at the hotel. The hotel rooms were in the noise area, occasioned by the annual enclaves of Iowa Shriners in session here. Under the conditions the visiting teams anticipated little sleep with a hard game impending, until the situation was changed by the action of the fraternity.

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WEATHER

TUESDAY, OCT. 31, 1922.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago and vicinity: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; probably rain, not much change in temperature; gentle to moderate winds, generally southeasterly.

Illinois: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; probably occasional rain tonight and Wednesday; cooler Wednesday in south portion.

Wisconsin: Generally fair tonight and Wednesday; probably rain in the southeast portion; slightly cooler tonight in southwest portion.

Iowa: Unsettled weather tonight and Wednesday; probably rain in east and south portions; slightly cooler tonight in north central portion.

HALLOWEEN



REPUBLICANS ON TOUR OF COUNTY HERE THIS EVE

Night Meeting to Be Held at Family Theater Here.

Congressmen Henry R. Bathbone and John C. McKenzie, with the county and legislative candidates, and some of the leading Republicans, left this morning on an all-day trip through Lee county in fifteen automobiles.

The party toured the county, visiting Franklin Grove, Ashton, Stearns, Lee, Paw Paw, West Brooklyn, Compton, and will hold night meetings at Amboy at 7:00 o'clock, in Edwards, movie theater, and at the Family Theater in Dixon at 8:15 o'clock p. m.

The Dixon band will play at the Amboy meeting, and will also play at the Family Theater in Dixon.

Two Games Booked for D. H. S. Teams

The Dixon high school football team will play two games this week and have been working hard after a week of rest for the two contests. The seconds are scheduled to meet the Mt. Morris high school on the north side athletic field Friday and are determined to get revenge for the 6 to 6 tie at Mt. Morris three weeks ago.

Saturday, the first team will journey to Prophetstown to meet the strong high school team of that city. This game was scheduled because Rock Falls was forced to cancel with the local team on account of a small-pox epidemic existing in their city.

The past two weeks have been spent in developing new signals and new shift plays that Coach Bowers and Weiss hope will spell defeat for Sterling on Thanksgiving day.

Federal Grand Jury Probes Dixon Cases

Deputy Sheriff Mac Lichleiter went to Freeport this morning to testify before the federal grand jury in two cases from this county. One is the case of John Friedman, who was arrested at Franklin Grove and a quantity of alcohol in his automobile confiscated. The other is the case against Carlos Gurrero who is charged with violation of the Mann act in taking Sadie Robinson, a young girl, to Indiana Harzer some time ago.

PROSECUTION IN HAMMER SLAYING MAY REST TODAY

Husband of Woman on Trial May Be Witness for Her.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Los Angeles, Oct. 31.—The prosecution in the trial of Mrs. Clara Phillips for the murder of Mrs. Alberta Tremaine Meadows who was beaten to death with a hammer, may rest its case today.

The direct and cross examinations of only one more witness remained before that point of the trial would be reached. It was said, but the identity of that witness had not been made known, nor had his probable testimony been publicly forecast.

What the defense will do immediately after the state rests has not been stated, but many intimations have been made that the defendant's husband, Armour L. Phillips, will be placed on the stand to detail his acquaintance with the slain widow.

Mrs. Peggy Caffee, former chorus girl chum of Mrs. Phillips, only known eye witness to the slaying and star witness for the state withstood a severe cross examination without, according to prosecution counsel, changing what it termed the "vital portions of her story."

LITCHFIELD IS THREATENED BY FIRE THIS MORN

Inadequate Water Works Prevented Control of Blaze.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Litchfield, Ill., Oct. 31.—With hundreds of residents using buckets and two hand pumps, fire which started at 2 o'clock this morning destroyed the Masonic building, damaged the daily Union building, threatened the Litchfield hotel and was not brought under control until shortly before noon, after many hours of hard work. The Litchfield water works which has been the subject of controversy for two years, was inadequate to supply sufficient water pressure, city authorities said. The business session of the town was threatened with destruction.

The Masonic building was used as the Litchfield high school. All the equipment of the high school was destroyed.

Litchfield has a volunteer fire department of only two or three men. The small pumps used by the department failed to force water to the roof of the Litchfield hotel, and a bucket brigade attempted vainly to pour water onto the structure from an adjoining building. The community has been debating for two years the question of building a new water works plant.

The fire started from defective electrical wiring, authorities said.

SMALL SAYS HE DIDN'T TALK AS MAYOR INDICATES

H. G. Reynolds and D. G. Harvey Interview the Governor.

In common with very many citizens of Dixon and Lee county, I have a vital interest in the good roads program of Illinois and especially the 35th District; also in the prompt completion of the work planned at the State Colony, and know that upon the good will of the Governor the furtherance of these good works largely depend.

In view of this fact I have not been able to understand the attitude of the Legislative Representatives of this District in their active and unremitting hostility to the Governor in his plans relative to these matters. Therefore, after reading in The Dixon Telegraph last evening what purports to be an interview between our Governor and Mayor Smith, as to the candidacy of an independent candidate, who is known to be friendly to our Chief Executive, I immediately called Governor Small over the telephone and briefly outlined to him the statements made in the article. The Governor replied, that he positively had not stated to Mr. Smith that he had asked Mr. Harris not to be a candidate, and also that he had not stated he had asked Mr. Harris to withdraw.

Mr. Douglas Harvey was standing next to me, close to the telephone, during my entire talk with the Governor. At the conclusion of my talk Mr. Harvey took the phone and read The Telegraph article to the Governor, word for word. When he had finished, Mr. Harvey said to me that Governor Small stated he had not told Mr. Smith that he had asked Mr. Harris not to be a candidate; nor had he told Mr. Smith that he had asked Mr. Harris to withdraw.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Pana, Ill., Oct. 31.—What is believed to have been poisoned soup claimed its second victim here within 24 hours, when W. S. James died this morning. His wife, Mrs. Isabella James, died yesterday morning. The couple were found unconscious in their home Monday morning by Mrs. James' father. A bowl of soup in a metal container found on the kitchen table leads doctors to believe ptomaine poisoning caused the deaths.

An inquest is to be held late today. Authorities stated a post mortem may be necessary. Doctors worked with Mr. James all day yesterday and all last night in an effort to save his life. Dr. Will Woods of Decatur was called in last night, but the man slowly sank to his death without gaining consciousness. James was 45 and his wife was 43. They lived alone in their home here in Pana.

According to neighbors the couple retired early Sunday night. During the night Mr. James called a doctor, complaining of stomach trouble. The doctor, it is said, gave treatment and then departed. Their condition was not discovered until Mrs. James' father called the next morning to see why they were not up. He found Mrs. James dying and Mr. James unconscious.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

London, Oct. 31.—(By the Associated Press)—Father Bernard Vaughan, one of the most prominent Jesuit priests in the world and a brother of the late Cardinal Vaughan, died here today. Several years ago he toured the United States and parts of Canada and Alaska and later lectured in Japan, where he addressed the House of Peers.

FIRE AT WATERWORKS.

The fire department made a run to the waterworks on East River street this morning at 2 o'clock. A hole was burned in the roof of the pumping station, the damage being covered by insurance.

REACH VERDICT IN HOUR AFTER RECEIVING CASE

Settled Case Before Going to Dinner This Noon.

BULLETIN.

At 3 o'clock this afternoon the jury in the Lee County Circuit Court found Leonard Woodyatt, of this city, on trial for the murder of Herbert Long of Harmon on July 29th, guilty of manslaughter. The verdict was reached by the jurors in an hour's deliberation before they went to dinner. The statute provides a punishment of from one to fourteen years in the penitentiary, the time to be determined by the Pardon Board.

States Attorney Mark C. Keller made the concluding argument in the case this morning. He said in part: "We are now about to make the closing arguments which will write 'Facts' in one of the most cold-blooded murders that has ever been recorded in the annals of crime in this county. On July 29, 1922, between the hours of 11 and 12, when all was peaceful and quiet, there rang out on the calm midnight air several shots from a 32 calibre revolver. As a result of those shots the body of Herbert Long lay cold in death on the damp, gray sands of Mother Earth, while the silver dew glistened on his forehead the assassin, the man who deprived him of his life, beat a hasty retreat to cover his deeds."

Prepared Defense

"Under the horror of the deed he had committed—the life of Herbert Long snuffed out—and with the blood of Herbert Long on his soul he began to prepare his defense. He did it skillfully, and as he thought, well. But, the statement has grown as a part of us, that murder some day will out. It has marked the cross of a criminal on the defendant for what he did that night.

Leonard Woodyatt, after the last shot from that fire arm he carried, when he sent the soul of Herbert Long to its Maker, said to himself: 'I have done the foul deed. Now it's self-protection.' So he backed off into the tent where Ray Adams was at work, and there he said to Mr. Adams, 'I have shot a man. Hold them back or I'll shoot some more.' And Adams said: 'Who are you?' Woodyatt opened his coat and showed his star and said 'I'm a deputy sheriff. I'm an officer of this county. Adams said 'If you are why don't you deputize somebody?'

"But breathless, hatless, he ran like the murderer that he was he hastened to cover his retreat. Adams went to the wagon and there saw the body of the man, he only dastardly thing they can say about Herbert Long was that he was a young man full of life, and delighted in the games of our country—the national games, football, baseball—any sport open to the young men of our country."

Woodyatt Was Strong

"I'll prove to you before I finish this argument that the defendant in this case is a strong, vigorous man to the extent of defending himself in any kind of a personal encounter. * * * He was supposed to be patrolling the Illinois Central Railroad property. He tells you he wasn't on duty on the carnival grounds, that when he left the Illinois Central property he was off duty; that he went out there to see the shows; that he was in several shows; and that down at the Superba show a girl came to him * * * that he saw during the show."

"Now I want to comment on that. He said a girl came to him after the show and she said 'I want protection.' Suppose you were there, gentlemen. Wouldn't you say 'What do you want this protection for?' Anybody would ask that. * * * Then if that girl said 'I want to go over that fence' would you give her protection?"

"What happened at the fence? Woodyatt said on cross examination that he had no right to stop Long from going through the fence. Why did he do it? * * *

About Alleged Blow

"Next we have them up in the corner. Woodyatt said that Long immediately swung on him and struck him in the jaw, and he showed Mr. Erwin how he claimed Long had hit him. A. C. Woodyatt testified that Leonard had a lump back of the ear where he was struck. The man that got struck should know where he was hit. However it has absolutely nothing to do with your verdict whether Herbert Long struck him or not, or if Woodyatt started the quarrel."

"It was the corner of the grounds where this trouble took place. The ground was elevated in that corner. Mr. Brooks told you the ground was flat, but when the surveyor measured it he found a drop of six and one-half feet in 192 feet. Woodyatt started the shooting and he finished the shooting; he didn't hear any other shots fired than those he fired himself. We have him pulling a revolver and shooting it at the feet of another young man. Long threw up his hands and pleaded 'For God's sake don't shoot me,' and he started backing up. Do you believe any possible theory in this case than that this defendant followed him to the wagon and there fired the fatal shot?"

Bullet Deflected

"The bullet is not without mark of deflection. It probably struck one of the vertebrae of the neck and deflected. There is a dent on one side of the nose of the bullet that shows it must have been deflected. (He showed the jurors, the bullet which it is charged took Herbert Long's life, and also a new one, pointing out the alleged dent.)

"I'll call your attention to some things that took place at the fence. All the witnesses that were there, with the exception of Woodyatt himself, state that they heard Long say nothing else but the exclamation 'Don't shoot.' Woodyatt says Long called him a profane name. When do you think that Long was talking in an exceedingly loud voice? Do you think it was when he called Woodyatt some profane name as he turned him around, or when he said 'For God's sake don't shoot me'?"

Two in Harmon Bunch

"Where did Woodyatt go after he left the Harmon tent? Out on the carnival grounds and tried to hire Leo Curran to take him out of the grounds. Then he went to Strube's taxi and met McKay, talked with him and told him he was going down to get more ammunition to clean up on the Harmon bunch. Let me ask you constituted the Harmon bunch? William McCormick and Herbert Long. There is another significant failure on the part of the defense. * * *

"Woodyatt left the taxi, went down toward a train on the North-Western, on down to the depot, went over and met William Slothower to whom he said 'I have three or four more shots that I can pump into you, wouldn't you Bill?' That's Slothower's testimony. Woodyatt says 'I went down and I saw Slothower and I said to him 'I have three or four more loads left' and then he denied the rest of it. It didn't sound so bad to say 'I've got three or four more loads.' In my mind that's just as strong evidence against Woodyatt as if he had said he was going back and shoot every man there. The guilt of this defendant is hanging over him like a shroud."

"Had Murder in Heart"

"Is there any reason this man should say he was going back to clean up on the Harmon bunch? Various reasons. On the night of July 29 he had murder in his heart when he killed Herbert Long. One doesn't have to go to school to be trained to be a murderer. This man can't escape his act by the fact that on that night he committed the first murder that he ever committed."

"He has absolutely given no excuses for killing Herbert Long. He didn't say himself positively but that some shot he fired might have killed Herbert Long. He said he got something to drink—liquor of some kind. He drank before he went to work and he bought a pint and took it with him. He went down to the depot and treated Harry Fine and some big man from the plow factory. Then he drank some more. And then armed with a 32 calibre gun, loaded with bullets, he went to the carnival grounds and visited the shows."

"Long's reputation was also attacked by the defense, but they failed absolutely. The dead man's reputation was found to be 'good in every instance.'"

"The defense has found fault with a number of things. They found fault with William Slothower's testimony in order to cast a stigma over the reputation of Herbert Long. They brought Slothower in as their witness as they did Holloway. They failed utterly to show that there was a quarrel or a fight. In calling Mr. Pierce of Sterling, another attempt

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Society

Tuesday.
Practical Club — Mrs. G. P. Powell,
303 E. Third St.

Wednesday.
Kingdom-Community Aid Society—
Mrs. Dave Heagy.
Golden Rule Circle Grace Church—
At Church.

Thursday
M. W. A.—Union Hall. Open meet-
ing.
High School Parent-Teachers Asso-
ciation—High School Building.
Ladies' Aid Society St. Paul's Luth-
eran Church—At Church.
Women's Foreign Missionary Socie-
ty M. E. Church—Mrs. F. X. New-
comer, 401 Galena Ave.
Week-End Club—Mrs. T. L. Ross-
iter, 111 Lincoln Ave.
Westminster Circle — Miss Nan
McGinnis, 904 Peoria Ave.
St. Agnes Guild—Guild Rooms at
St. Luke's Church.

Friday.
Dorothy Chapter No. 371, O. E. S.—
Masonic Hall.

NATIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 2.

HALLOWEEN.—“OOO—OO—OO” cried the wind on
Halloween—
“Two dark, the moon could not be
seen—
And from the shadows that fell about
A hundred witches hurried out.

“Hoot!” cried the owl from the leaf-
less tree,
And the screech owl answered: “To-
wee, to-wee!”
And the music they made—that feath-
er band—
Was heard the breadth of Elfin Land.

Then from each toadstool and mush-
room, too,
The elves and goblins came in view,
And filled the woods with such a noise
It chilled the heart of girls and boys.

And that is why good people say
On Halloween 'tis best to say
At home, where lights and love burn
Bright,
Than wander out on All Souls' Night.

DIXON WOMAN'S CLUB
HELD MEETING.

The Dixon Woman's club held its
regular meeting on Saturday, Oct. 28,
in St. Paul's church.
After the business meeting Mrs. C.
H. Meyers as chairman of the House-
hold Economics Department, pre-
sided and asked Mrs. Shepherd to introduce
the guests of the afternoon as they
are friends of long standing.

In a few words Mrs. Shepherd in-
troduced Mrs. Herman Grosch and
daughter, Miss Edna, of Mendota.
These ladies proceeded to give a won-
derful demonstration, showing how
simply a dress form can be made at
home. Mrs. C. H. Meyers was used
as the model and when the form was
completed it was an exact reproduction
of Mrs. Meyer's figure and will be
a great aid in her sewing. This dress
form is made entirely of gum tape pa-
per, is very inexpensive, can be made
by anyone and is a wonderful help to
the home dressmaker.

The Young People's orchestra, fur-
nished some fine music during the
afternoon which all enjoyed. Mrs.
Katherine Ballou sang “Hilltop,” by
Fox, and when encores sang “Grand-
ma's Prayer,” by Field. She was ac-
companied by Mrs. Blake Grover. This
number was a great treat to all pres-
ent.

Mr. Cottrell of the Y. M. C. A. then
gave a little talk explaining the work
of the “Y” and the good that is ac-
complished in training our boys moral-
ly as well as socially, keeping them out
of temptation and preparing them as
the future men of the country. As the
small membership fee paid by the boys
does not begin to cover the expense of
this training the “Y” is putting on a
drive in which everyone is asked to
co-operate. In this commendable cause
the “Y” deserves every success.

At the close of the program the
hostesses served dainty refreshments.
The table was prettily decorated in the
Halloween colors, yellow and black,
and black cats, witches and bats were
very much in evidence. The hostesses
were Mesdames A. N. Richardson,
Fordham, Jacobson, Hobbs, D. C.
Leake and Marks.

INFORMATION FOR COMMUNITIES
CONCERNING THE RED CROSS
PUBLIC HEALTH NURSING
SERVICE.

(Continued from Monday.)
Since the larger centers, with few
exceptions, have public health nursing
organizations there is little need for
the Red Cross to undertake independ-
ent work in the cities. But it may
seek to help these organizations in
forwarding and enlarging their ser-
vice.

Its own work naturally falls there-
fore in the smaller towns and rural
districts where public health nursing
is less developed and where there is
great need for it. This work is con-
ducted by the Bureau of Public Health
Nursing, Department of Health, Eng-
lish, American Red Cross.
Many Red Cross officers and other
public-spirited people are interested
in maintaining a high standard of public
health are seeking information about
the establishment of community nurs-
ing services in their towns or counties.
This pamphlet is written for the pur-
pose of answering some of the ques-
tions that are being asked about this
subject.

(Continued Tomorrow.)

MOTORED HERE FOR VISIT
WITH MISS WYNN.

Attorney and Mrs. Lewis Heile, of
Chicago, motored to Dixon Saturday
for a visit with Miss Mary Wynn.
Sunday they motored to Freeport for
the day.

COMMITTEE IN CHARGE OF BENEFIT PLEASD—

(By Mrs. W. C. Durkes.)

The committee in charge of the Ben-
efit party for the Red Cross Commu-
nity Nursing fund are grateful to the
following for their assistance in hav-
ing made the party a success socially,
and financially:

To Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Long and
family; to the out-of-town guests from
Sterling, Ambey, Franklin Grove and
Rochelle; to Mrs. Doris Morrison; Dix-
on Grocery Co.; The Gift Shop; W. A.
Trien; O. H. Martin; L. E. Edwards;
Pratt & Reed; W. C. Jones; G. McClean-
ahan; Mr. Rorer; G. Campbell; A. A.
Rowland; E. N. Howell; L. L. Edson;
A. L. Geisenheimer; H. L. Lynch;
Sterling Drug Co.; L. R. Mathias; Ah-
rens, Ogden & Co.; W. Preston; C.
Gonnerman; to the various members of
clubs who acted as hostesses; to Miss
Allie Patrick, Society Editor of The
Evening Telegraph; to those who sent
money who could not attend, and to
each one who assisted the cause of our
Community Nurse fund, by his fifty
cents and presence on Wednesday.

HELD MEETING OF PRESBYTER- IAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

A well attended and most interest-
ing meeting of the Presbyterian Mis-
sionary Society was held Friday after-
noon at the home of Mrs. S. W.
Lehman.

Mrs. Barlow led the devotions. Mrs.
Ahrens' solo, “God and God Alone,”
by Stephens was greatly enjoyed. She
was accompanied by Mrs. Frank
Stephan, who also played for the
hymns which were led by Mrs. Durkes.

Mrs. Steel gave a most comprehen-
sive map talk on Alaska, telling of
the natural wonders and beauties of
this land.

With this fine paper as a setting,
Mrs. Lager then told of the Presby-
terian missions and the wonderfully
interesting work among the ignorant
and superstitious people in the “Land
of the Totem.”

The hostess served dainty refresh-
ments, the tea table being presided over
by Mrs. Collins Dysart.

KENYON SEGNER, JR., ENTERTAINED SATURDAY.

Kenyon Segner, Jr., most enjoyably
entertained a company of young
friends at his home Saturday evening
with a Halloween party. The Segner
home was artistically decorated in
Halloween decorations and the Jack-
o'-lanterns and streamers in orange
and black the corn stalks and autumn
flowers were used to great advantage.
Games and music were features of the
first of the evening. Then the paper
caps were doctored and black and yel-
low confetti thrown over all, making a
pretty scene as the young people
danced. A tempting Halloween
luncheon was served.

MISS KESTED ENTERTAINED FOR MISS SHUMARD.

Miss Inez Kested charmingly enter-
tained on Friday evening at her home
on North Galena avenue for Miss Es-
ther Shumard whose engagement to
Theodore Hintz has been announced.
The entertainment took the form of
a miscellaneous shower and Miss
Shumard received many nice gifts.
The wedding will take place next month.
The Kested home was attractively de-
corated in Halloween emblems.

Five hundred was the feature of the
evening and tempting refreshments
were served at a late hour. There
were twelve guests present.

VISITED IN DIXON SATURDAY.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Jones, of Chi-
cago, visited Dixon Saturday. Many
years ago Mr. Jones' father, Rev.
Jones, was rector of St. Luke's Epis-
copal church. The family was well-
known and popular. There are still
many in Dixon who will remember the
family. When a very young boy, Mr.
Jones connected himself with the
Northwestern road. He is now one of
the leading officials of the road, serv-
ing as treasurer for the company.

IF YOU ARE WELL-BRED—

You do not refuse food passed to
you at a dinner party, because to do
so implies that you do not like what
is being offered.

It is much kinder to take a small
portion and leave it on your plate if
you do not care to eat it.

If you are on a diet you should ac-
cept any invitations with the stipula-
tion that your refusal of food is not
based on your own likes and dislikes
but on the doctor's orders.

BIBLE CLASS HELD MEETING THURSDAY.

The Bible class of the M. E. church
held a meeting Thursday afternoon at
the home of Mrs. A. N. Richardson.
There was a good attendance and
after the business meeting the mem-
bers were occupied in sewing for the
Associated Charities.

Dainty refreshments were served
and a social hour enjoyed.

ST. AGNES GUILD MEETS THURSDAY.

The members of St. Agnes Guild will
hold an all-day meeting Thursday at
St. Luke's church in the Guild rooms.
There will be a scramble luncheon at
noon.

MRS. ALEXANDER ENTER- TAINS FRIDAY.

Mrs. E. D. Alexander will entertain
Friday afternoon.

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RETURNS FROM VISIT AT FORT MADISON, IA.—

Christopher Smith, of Nelson town-
ship, returned recently from a week's
visit with his cousin, Henry Genck, at
Fort Madison, Ia. He also visited at
Burlington and Keokuk. He saw a
thirty million dollar power plant in
southeastern Missouri. He reports an
interesting and enjoyable trip.

MARRIAGE A LA MODE—

The carefree life of a bachelor or the
bachelor maid has its price in certain
parts of China.

A limit is prescribed by law within
which time all men and women are
supposed to wed.

If they are not married at the ex-
piration of this time they must ex-
clude themselves from the active
world and are forced into retirement.

W. F. M. S. TO MEET THURSDAY.

The W. F. M. S. of the M. E. church
will meet Thursday afternoon at 2:30
o'clock with Mrs. F. X. Newcomer, 401
Galena avenue. A splendid program
has been prepared. Brief reports of
the branch and district meetings will
be given. All members of the church
and congregation are cordially invited.

GOLDEN RULE CIRCLE TO MEET WEDNESDAY.

The Golden Rule Circle of the Grace
U. E. church will meet Wednesday
afternoon at the church. At 6:30 a
scramble supper will be served. Cloth-
es will be repaired and box packed to
be sent to aid in the Russian relief.

WESTMINSTER CIRCLE TO MEET.

The Westminster Circle of the Pres-
byterian church will meet Thursday
evening at 7 o'clock at the home of
Miss Nan McGinnis, 904 Peoria ave-
nue. Members are requested to take
their dues to the meeting.

EASTERN STAR MEETS FRIDAY.

There will be a meeting of Dorothy
Chapter O. E. S. Friday evening in
Masonic hall and afterwards there is
to be an informal dancing party for
members of the Star and their friends.

PEORIA AVENUE CLUB HAD MEETING.

The members of the Peoria Avenue
Reading club enjoyed a pleasant meet-
ing Monday afternoon with Mrs. E. D.
Alexander with a good attendance.
The program proved most interesting.

LADIES' AID OF ST. PAUL'S MEETS THURSDAY.

The Ladies' Aid Society of St. Paul's
Lutheran church will meet Thursday
afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the church.
All ladies of the church are invited.

ENTERTAINED SUNDAY EVENING.

Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Stanfield enter-
tained Sunday evening Mr. and Mrs.
H. A. Roe and Mr. and Mrs. A. A.
Rowland.

MOTORED TO POLO AND VISITED FRIENDS.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hettinger and
Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Davis motored to
Polio Sunday and visited friends.

NO MEETING OF CHORAL UNION TONIGHT.

There will be no meeting of the Dix-
on Choral Union this evening as Mr.
Leo is unable to be present.

TO ENTERTAIN WEEK- END CLUB.

Mrs. T. L. Rossiter, 111 Lincoln ave-
nue, will entertain the Week-End
club Thursday afternoon.

ENTERTAINING WITH PARTY THIS EVE.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Lynch are enter-
taining this evening with a Halloween
party.

BRIDGE SCORES FOR SALE.

Bridge scores for sale at The Eve-
ning Telegraph office.

ADDITIONAL SOCIETY ON PAGE 1.

Substantial Trade Increase in Month

Chicago.—Wholesale and retail mer-
chants of the seventh federal reserve
district reported substantial trade in-
creases for September.

GREEN PLUME

A very long green plume is al-
lowed to follow the front brim of a
black panne velvet hat and hang to
the shoulder in a cascade on the left
side.

HEALO

No toilet is complete without it. A
white powder put up in boxes 25c at
any drug store.

A beautiful eye makes silence elo-
quent. But the eye cannot remain
beautiful if it is not protected from
strain. Your children have started
the new school year; are their eyes
right? Dr. Geo. McGraham, opto-
metrist, new theater building.

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SPIRIT OF HALLOWE'EN



HALLOWEEN, Halloween or All
Hallows Even is the eve or vigil of
All Hallows or All Saints' Day, No-
vember 1.

But it antedates Christian times.
On Nov. 1 the Romans had a feast
to Pomona, goddess of fruits and
seeds.

Thanks for Harvest
On the same date or thereabouts,
the Druids held their autumn festi-
val to the sun, giving thanks for the
season's harvest.

And they taught that, the night
before, Saman, lord of death, called
together the wicked souls he had
condemned to occupy animals' bodies
during the year. It was then that,
by gifts and incantations, he might
be induced to release these captives.
November, too, was one of the

times for these same Druids to re-
kindle their supposedly sacred fires.

However, the superstitions of pa-
gans and Christians alike agreed that
the night of Oct. 31, of all nights in
the year, was the time when super-
natural influences were strongest.

Weird Powers Abroad

Wraiths of the dead, it was long
believed, wandered abroad on this
night, together with witches, devils
and mischief-making sprites and
elves, and in some cases the spirits
of living persons were able to leave
their bodies temporarily, to join this
ghostly company.

Hence, of all nights, it was the
night for divination, and particularly
for unmarried young people to learn
whom their future husbands or wives
were to be.

DISCIPLINE WON SERIES SAYS FRANK CHANCE

Frank Chance, known as the “Peer-
less Leader” in the days when he was
winning pennants with the Chicago
Cubs, still retains a keen interest in
baseball.

Chance came on from California to
take in the world series. In his day
as manager Chance was always a
stickler for discipline. On any ball
club that Chance ever managed his
word was law.

At the finish of the world series
Chance was asked to express an opin-
ion of what was the determining fac-
tor in the series.

“Neither pitching nor brains decid-
ed the series between the Giants and
the Yankees,” was his reply, “disci-
pline was the thing that turned the

trick.”
“The Yankees and the Giants were
evenly matched despite the fact that
the American Leaguers failed to win
a game. That was very unusual de-
cidedly out of the ordinary. In three
of the games it looked as if the Yan-
kees were certain of winning, yet they
failed to grab a single game.”

“The Giants won because every
player on that club had the utmost
respect for McGraw's judgment. His
decision in all things was final.”

“With the Yankees it seemed as if
a number of players were doing things
as they saw fit, not the manager.”

“Yes siree, discipline, nothing else,
was the determining factor in the
outcome of the 1922 series.”

Illinois Woman May Head Catholic Assn.

By Associated Press Leased Wire
Louisville, Ky., Oct. 31.—Election of
officers held the center of interest in
the sessions today of the convention
of the International Federation of
Catholic Alumnae. Mrs. Harry M.

Bensinger of Baltimore, Md., and Miss
Marion McCandless of Pinkneyville,
Ill., were named as the nominees for
president in the report made yester-
day by the incoming committee. Miss
McCandless also is a candidate for the
office of treasurer, without opposition.

More than 2,000,000 girls under the
age of 16 are employed in various
occupations in the United States.

Is Your SPINE In Line?

Perfect alignment of the spine means perfect health. Imperfect
alignment means that one or more of the bones of the spine are out
of the natural position. This produces pressure on the delicate nerves
at the point where they leave the spine. Because the nerve is pinched
the brain cannot give the full amount of life force over it.

Whatever part of the body this pinched nerve supplies, is bound
to be weak and diseased, whether it is the heart, stomach, lungs,
kidneys, etc., because every cell in the body receives its life force over
the nervous system, and if the nerve is pinched this life force is de-
creased.

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Sat., 7 to 8.

Mrs. A. B. Taylor, proprietor of the Beauty Shop in the Dixon
National Bank Building, was in Chicago Monday and purchased a
quantity of

HANDSOME SPANISH HAIR COMBS

The combs are jeweled in various colored stones, and being worn
by old and young, alike. They are quite the vogue in Paris, London
and New York. Nothing is prettier in the hair than this comb which
gives the artistic finish to the toilette.

Mrs. Taylor is also displaying some of the lovely new hair bob-
ettes, to be worn with bobbed hair.

BEAUTY SHOP

Mrs. Taylor, Proprietor

DIXON NATIONAL BANK BLDG. PHONE X-418

Dixon Girl Member Cornell Hockey Team

Mount Vernon, Ia.—Alice Richard-
son of Dixon is a member of the
Cornell Sophomore class hockey
team which is fighting for the
championship title in the annual
Cornell, co-ed hockey tournament.

Hockey, which might be said to
be co-ed football, is one of the fa-
vorite co-ed sports in Cornell ath-
letics. Nearly a hundred candidates
are trying for positions on their re-
spective class eleven.

The Junior Purple, with a victory
over the Senior Red Sox and a 2-2
tie with the Freshman Green Sox,
share the lead in the title race with
the Orange-clad Sophomores, who
have defeated the yearlings 2-1 and
tied the senior eleven.

The tourney continues until Home-
coming, Nov. 18, when the champion-
ship clash will be played as an ap-
petizer to the Cornell-Coe football
game.

A large number of Cornell gradu-
ates and ex-students are planning
to return to the campus for the
Homecoming festivities two weeks
from Saturday. Reservations for
rooms and for the Alumni Luncheon
are being received by Executive Sec-
retary J. R. Van Pelt.

President's Vote to Wrong Ohio Precinct

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Marletta, Ohio, Oct. 30.—There was
a flutter of excitement in the office
of the election board and it was
caused by the arrival of a letter from
the White House.

The excitement didn't last long
when it was discovered that the let-
ter contained the votes of President
and Mrs. Harding and Secretary
Christian. The letter was intended
for election officials at Marion—not
Marletta—and the letter was re-
sented and hurried off to the post
office for its proper destination.

Twenty Horses Burn to Death in Chicago

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Twenty horses
belonging to a wholesale grocery com-
pany were burned to death and more
than 100 persons were made homeless
temporarily early today by a fire
which destroyed a two-story stable
and spread to a three-story hotel.

Three taxi cab drivers who discover-
ed the fire, went from door to door
arousing occupants when the flames
threatened a row of frame apartment
buildings. The structures were erect-
ed during World's Fair days. Although
the hotel, the Gibson, was damaged,
firemen succeeded in saving it and the
apartments.

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be interested in the many possibilities
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blocks offer you in the way of utility,
strength and beauty. Dixon Concrete
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Turkish Troops on Coast of Bulgaria

Constantinople.—The Bulgarian
press is clamoring over the appear-
ance of Turkish naval forces along
the Bulgarian coast.

Fruits make a pleasing dessert in
many forms. We carry choice fruits
for your selection. Sinclair's Peoria
Ave. Fruit Store. 31 2 4

FIGURE THIS OUT

The Three Pumpkins



At a Halloween party, three pump-
kins were brought in, numbered as
the ones shown above. The largest
pumpkin was offered as a prize to the

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MISCHIEF NIGHT

Hallowe'en, when it started far
back in the mists of time, was the
night when evil spirits were supposed
to flock out of hiding and roam
the earth, marauding and destroying.

After many centuries we see the
work of the evil spirits inherited and
ably handled by Willie, Tom, Pat and
the rest of the youthful "gang."

It illustrates how next to impossible
it is to get a custom or superstition
out of the human brain, once it gets
there.

On the ancient agricultural calendar,
Hallowe'en was a sort of New
Year's Day. Harvest was over and
the landlord called for his share of
the crops raised by tenant farmers.

It was custom for him to arrive
late in the evening and make merry
at such pastimes as elder drinking
and apple bobbing. When the fun
was over and the landlord got down to
business, it was early morning of
Nov. 1.

Probably this is why the first of the
month is rent-paying day, instead of
the 15th or any other date that would
be just as logical.

Time was, when Hallowe'en was
less a night of devilry and more a
night of hospitality, good fellowship,
cooking firesides, good things to eat
and drink, and delightful supersti-
tions such as walking down cellar
stairs backward, carrying a candle
and a mirror in which "her" future
husband's face might appear.

The world never has enough of
hospitality and goodfellowship. Let's
revive it, this Hallowe'en, and make
the night of witches and goblins joy-
ful as well as prankful.

ON THE PERMANENT INELI-
GIBLE LIST

If the charge against Phil Douglas
of the New York Giants is true the
punishment meted out to him is not
severe. Baseball is a business only
because it could not be maintained as
the national sport except as a busi-
ness, but it could not live as a busi-
ness if it were not the representative
popular sport. It must be ethical as
a sport. It is primarily a sport, and
secondarily a business.

Douglas should have known that
breach of ethics would, if found out,
remove him from professional base-
ball. He had seen, or should have
seen, the criticisms aimed at the New
York Yankees and Boston Red Sox
for a trade of players in midseason.
He was familiar with the fate of the
Chicago White Sox players who had
been accused of treachery. In a sense
his offense is more grave than the
others; rather, it is more foolhardy. It
was the misdeed of a temperamental
player. If guilty he got what he de-
served.

The player who exposed him did a
public service. It was an act which
should have the effect of emphasizing
baseball ethics at a time when em-
phasis is greatly needed. And the
New York management did the most
creditable thing.

NO EAGLES

A good deal of mild fun has been
made of motorless airplanes assem-
bled for competitive tryouts recently
in France. No very remarkable re-
cords have been made by the gliders
as yet, and there is a marked "Darius
Green" tinge to most of the com-
ment. For all that the end of this
type of aerial experiment is not at
hand.

Enough has been accomplished at
the French flying meet to justify fur-
ther effort. The different types of
glider in action offered suggestive
material for elimination and develop-
ment. A good deal is expected of a
new French plane with its wings
made in two parts so that they slide

over each other, giving greater flexi-
bility and permitting the wings to
yield before the gusts of wind.

It may be that engineless craft will
never attain to any great height or
length of flight, but it would take a
brave man to declare that they will
never be developed to the point of
real practicability and usefulness. At
least they afford the best means of
testing the buoyancy of planes alone,
without motive power. It is not cer-
tain that all the principles of gravi-
ty have been fully revealed. No one
can foretell how soon that delicate
point of adjustment which gives the
soaring bird such easy mastery of the
air may be hit upon by the inventor.

"They shall mount up with wings
as eagles," reads the old prophecy,
and the eagle has no gas engine.

A MILLION CHILD SLAVES

New York World: The census fig-
ures on the million and more children
"gainfully employed" is a record of
national shame. It explains why con-
gress has twice passed a child labor
law only to have it thrown out by the
courts. It helps explain why defeat
has only moved the child labor move-
ment to new determination to get
action by states or by constitutional
amendment if necessary.

The full horror of the evils of child
labor do not strike home to the aver-
age individual. If he thinks of the
matter at all, he may note that a mil-
lion child laborers amount to rather
less than one in ten of the children of
that age. He looks about him and
may discover that a good many chil-
dren of his friends and neighbors are
doing more or less work and making
some money.

They are running errands, doing
chores, delivering a newspaper route,
tending furnaces, raking lawns, and
the like. These youngsters seem to
be a fairly happy, healthy and con-
tented lot. That sort of work is good
for a child it may be argued. It teach-
es him habits of industry, may lead
to saving, the youngster learns the
rudiments of business, and it keeps
him out of mischief in the hours
when he is not in school.

And all this is true. It is the plea
the opponents of child labor legisla-
tion make. The bitter irony of it is
that the census does not classify these
children as "gainfully employed,"
though many earn as much or more
money than the child slaves of the
mills, of the coal mines, of the beet
and onion and hop fields and the cot-
ton patches.

The gainfully employed are those
who work for regular wages. Two-
thirds of the million, it is reported,
are engaged in migratory work, trav-
eling with or without their parents
from one work place to another, with
little or no chance for school, with no
normal childhood, without the right
to spend or save the money they earn.

These are the child workers that
need protection and who will be pro-
tected whenever the mother voters of
the nation can be instructed and
aroused to the shame of our juvenile
slavery.

THE WORKER'S OUTPUT

Roger Babson calls attention to "our
appalling ignorance of production
standards as evidenced by the varia-
tion of the efficiency of labor in dif-
ferent sections of the country." He
has tried to get a statistical line on
this important matter, without much
success. Nobody seems to know any-
thing definite about it, though there
is plenty of information on wages, in-
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BRINGING UP FATHER



JACK DAW'S ADVENTURES

(No. 92)

BY ELTON



Jack started in to dig and worked hard. It was not long before his hands were blistered and his back was aching. The plucky lad kept right at his task, however. He was anxious to uncover the hidden treasure. Flip ran around chasing sparrows.



Unnoticed by Jack a strange boy wandered near and watched him dig. Presently he motioned for others to come over and watch. The lad was very curious as to what Jack was digging for. In the meantime Jack went deeper and deeper into the ground.



Footsteps and strange voices startled Jack. He stopped and looked around. Quite a crowd had gathered. The little adventurer was bewildered and somewhat scared. He didn't know a soul in the crowd and wondered if anyone would interfere with him. Continued.

A THOUGHT
FOR TODAY

Take fast hold of instruction; let
her not go; keep her; for she is thy
light.—Proverbs 4:13.

Instruction ends in the school-
room, but education ends only with
life. And education is to unfold na-
ture; to strengthen good and conquer
evil; to give self-help; to make a
man.—Frederick W. Robertson.

Behold, God is my salvation; I
will trust and not be afraid, for the
Lord Jehovah is my strength and my
song; he also is become my salva-
tion.—Isaiah 12:2.

It requires a great deal of bold-
ness and a great deal of caution to
make a great fortune, and when you
have got it, it requires ten times as
much wit to keep it.—Ralph Waldo
Emerson.



Hallowe'en is one of our most un-
known-about celebrations.

Apparently without any provocation
that is what tonight is.

Its origin dates back even before
the annual coal shortages.

While it only comes once a year it
has seldom been known to miss.

It really is All Souls' Day, but all
the sinners celebrate.

Yet, as a saxophonist said, "It's an
ill wind that blows no good."

If you have furniture you dislike
just leave it on the porch.

William can get his ears clean bob-
bing for apples in a tub.

Steal your own fence and gate and
it will help with the coal bill.

This is the only way you can give
the coal barons the gate.

People naturally hankering for a
party can fling one naturally.

Your visitors will be guests because
you guess who they are.

You will know which is witch but
can't tell which is which.

When the cats are served watch the
goblin gobble.

Fortunes can be told tonight and
misfortunes tomorrow.

King of spades means you needed
a king of diamonds.

Four aces, you will be rich. Five
aces, you will be shot.

Tea grounds in a cup bottom means
it wasn't coffee.

Apple peels shaped like letters show
they are not orange peels.

Count apple seeds. One with the
most proves the early worm late.

Apples dangling from strings is an
excellent string game.

Each is the apple of your eye be-
cause that is where it hits you.

ADVENTURES
OF THE TWINS

THE MAGIC ILL.



Light Fingers flew after the magic
automobile as fast as he could go. This
time he was pretty sure of getting it
for Twelve Toes, his master.

Everything else had failed—the rain,
the fog, the stone-wall, and the laser.

But this time Light Fingers was
sure of himself. He put his hand in-
to his pocket to make sure that the
little pill Twelve Toes had given him
was still there.

It was a magic pill and had peculiar
power. It had the power of making
anything it touched turn backward.

I know what you are asking right
this minute, my dears. You are say-
ing, "Then why didn't Light Fingers
have to fly backward instead of going
after the Twins?"

This is why. The little pill wasn't
touching him at all. It was in a bot-
tle—a little glass pill bottle away down
in his pocket.

The bad little fairy was going over
and over the words of his master.

"Fly after the magic automobile,"
Twelve Toes had told him, "and when
you get near enough, unscrew the top
on the gasoline tank and drop in the
magic pill. Instantly the gasoline will
be bewitched, and the automobile will
start to run backward over the road."

Nancy and Nick rode on and on over
the Fairyland road, as happy as
kings. They laughed and chattered and
had the best kind of a time, thinking
that their troubles were over.

"We ought to be at the Fairy
Queen's Palace in ten minutes now,"
said Nick.

"Won't she be surprised when we
bring her back her automobile," said
Nancy.

Just then Light Fingers took the
bottle out of his pocket.

(To Be Continued.)
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Race, chewing opposite string ends,
stops chewing the rag.

In this chewing match always give
the men a two-foot start.

Blindfold everyone and let them
hunt thumbtacks barefooted.

Enjoyment is added if they carry
lighted candles in both hands.

Side and seek is fine. Seek to pull
someone's flowers and hide.

Then the owners of the flowers seeks
your hide and tans it.

The ghost really walks for those who
get paid on the first.

All the pumpkin heads running
around won't have candles in them.

AS ORDERED

By Berton Braley

IT'S Hallowe'en, and I must write a poem,
Adapted to the season and the date,
So I must mention—though you doubtless know 'em—
Such matters as will seem appropriate.
For instance "jack"-lanterns, golden yellow,"
And "missing gates that rouse the owners' spleen,"
And "hickory nuts" and "cider rich and mellow,"
It's Hallowe'en!

OF course it's necessary, too, to mention
The "sheeted figures slipping through the dark,"
And obviously I must call attention
To "pranks the youngsters play while on a lark."
And I must speak of "fun that's gay and hearty,"
And note the weather, "brisk and chill and keen,"
And tell of "merry games at many a party,"
It's Hallowe'en!

I'LL say a word about the "girl who glances
Into a mirror by a candle's light,
Seeking her destined hero of romances";
Can't leave that out and have my verses right.
"Popcorn," "marshmallows," "apples"—you'd be cheated
If these weren't listed in my lay, I ween;
So—there they are! And now my job's completed,
It's Hallowe'en!

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BY GEORGE McMANUS

Society Brand
ClothesThey Have a Style
All Their Own

That swagger effect—it's a
style in which all men look
good. That's why it's so pop-
ular. We have it, in Society
Brand; you've never seen it
expressed in a more individ-
ual manner. These overcoats
are here for you to see, we're
here to show them to you.

In Society Brand overcoats, too,
the price varies with the fabric—
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O'MALLEY

When summer season is at hand
This fellow's job is nice;
For, though some fellows take the cake,
He always takes the ice

CONDEMNNS RAILROAD LABOR BOARD TODAY FOR ITS OPINIONS

"Living Wage" Decision Draws Fire of Labor Member Today.

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Chicago, Oct. 31.—Majority members of the United States Railroad Labor Board were condemned for their living wage opinion in a statement made public today by A. O. Wharton, one of the three members of the board's labor group, whose dissenting opinion on the wage decision brought forth the "living wage" rejoinder by the majority members on Sunday.

Mr. Wharton declared the majority opinion of the railroad and public groups was "fallacious" and contained "untruths."

"I was not permitted to see the majority statement before writing my dissenting opinion," he said. "Now that I have read it I find that it is fallacious and contains untruths. In some places it presents alleged arguments which on their face are impossible."

"The majority statement speaks of a \$20,000,000 increase it has given the maintenance of way men. On the same method of figuring, it cut their pay \$50,000,000 in the July 1 decision, so the railroads are still \$30,000,000 to the good."

Sixteen Cents a Day Boast

"It speaks of the cost of living but it does not explain how a laborer can support himself and family on \$1 a month."

"It does not explain that the limitation pay increase it granted means only 16 cents a day for each man."

"It says nothing of the poor men who live in shacks, box cars and boxes set up on four posts."

"I openly urged the majority to have an unbiased committee sent into the sections where these laborers live to find out the truth about their living."

"The majority tries to make the public believe that it would have laborers given pay on which they would buy an automobile this year and an airplane next year."

Asks Pay With Decency

"I asked only that a man be given pay that brings decency with it, that Americans be enabled to live as Americans and enabled to live in respectability in their own environment and according to their own lights, not in the environment of the wealthy."

"The majority says the average wage for these men on through roads is 25 cents an hour and 37 cents on other lines. Then it says that the 25 cent men get more pay than the 37 cent men when considered in relation to living conditions in the respective territories."

"The 25 cent men are mostly negroes and Mexicans in the southeast, so the majority admits that it gives these Mexicans more pay than it gives native born Americans. How, in the eyes of God or man, can the majority justify that?"

"The majority does not distinguish between pauperism and opulence. It pretends that what labor terms a living wage means opulence. Labor does not ask opulence. It asks only American decency."

"The majority charged that the minority, in a dissenting opinion last spring, had 'advised the employees to strike against the decision of the board' and had issued 'incendiary arguments to the employees.'"

"When we wished to make our position clear publicly we refused the right of official publication."

"The majority apparently wished to keep pushing wages forever downward, with no thought of the consequence."

"It is only because of the decided stand taken by labor that any kind of halt at all has been called."

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The full demands of the trackmen with their "living wage" claims to an hourly pay of 72 to 75 cents an hour.

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AFTER ALL IS SAID AND DONE GOBLIN BOOS ARE JUST IN FUN



BY HAL COCHRAN

"What is that face atop the corn?" said little Mary with deep scorn.

"And is it trying to boo at me so I will start to run? My mamma says that, in the air, are spirits, and I'd best beware. But, gee, I know that spirits only come to have their fun."

So, little Mary, you can see, is just as brave as brave can be. "Aw, nuthin' ever scares me," says this little tiny tot. "I've heard about the flyin' witch but shucks, she never made me twitch." And Mary adds that scary things are really tommyrot.

Say, have you heard the story old, about the sandman brave and bold? Why, he's a fine old fellow; if you

hour would result in annual deficit of \$2,241,639, 518 for the railroads, the opinion said, while the demand for 48 cent minimum would bring a deficit of \$378,078,125.

In their opinion, which was in the nature of a rejoinder to A. O. Wharton, one of three labor members of the board, who submitted a dissenting opinion when the wage was announced recently, the board members took occasion to emphasize their belief "that railway strikes are utterly useless and wasteful."

"The employees will always gain better results at the hands of any tribuna fairly constituted an drepresentative of the people than they will by making war on the carriers and the public," was the comment.

AMUSEMENTS

LASALLE THEATRE

The fourth week of that splendid artist Leo Dittichstein in Ben Hecht's audacious comedy, "Under False Pretenses," began Monday evening at the cozy LaSalle theatre in a high tide of public favor. This very unusual play far removed from the time-worn conventions of the theatre, has risen rapidly in public esteem and now shows every evidence of being that rare thing, a popular as well as artistic success.

Mr. Dittichstein's stay at the LaSalle Theatre in the Loop will extend until November eleventh positively, and thereupon move directly to Broadway for a long run in the theatrical metropolis.

When the Chicago critics came out with concerted praise for the Ben Hecht comedy, the wires and long distance telephones from the producing managers in New York were immediately put in action with request that the famous star come East for an immediate appearance in New York.

Mr. Dittichstein likes Chicago and preferred to stay here until his large clientele had enjoyed the play which, in so extraordinary a way teaches the homely but much needed moral that men and women (especially of the married order) must not lose their feet in the confusion of this day—that sex morality is just as precious a thing today as it ever was and even more needed for the safety of society. How a wife plans and takes a Menophistophelian revenge on her supposedly erring husband only

to find in the end that she is the sinner and he only a warbler of sweet words, is illustrated by Mr. Dittichstein and his admirable company in an acting performance that sets a new high mark for histrionic skill and effectiveness for Chicago and New York as well. Seats now on sale for all performances up to and including Saturday, November eleventh.

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Miners to Boycott Springfield Stores

By Associated Press Leased Wire

Springfield, Ill., Oct. 30.—Threatening them with a boycott because they charge the Springfield Chamber of Commerce solicited funds to aid in the Herrin mine massacre persecutions, a committee representing the Springfield sub-district of the United Mine Workers today called on local retail merchants and demanded that they withdraw from the Chamber.

The committee, composed of about 35 men, was headed by Freeman Thompson, president, and John Watt, secretary-treasurer of the local. They requested all merchants who are members of the Chamber of Commerce to place in their store windows a card announcing that they had canceled their membership in the commercial body. Those who do not display the card will be boycotted the committee announced.

The miners have had a supply of the cards printed and are offering them to the merchants.

The trade of about 5,000 miners in and near Springfield makes up a considerable portion of the business of local merchants, it is said.

Brief Summary of Last Night's News

By Associated Press Leased Wire

TOPEKA, KAS.—State Board of Education denied a petition of State Supt. Lorraine Elizabeth Wooster for revocation of the teacher's certificate of W. H. Peck because he smokes, plays cards and dances.

CHICAGO—The Standard Oil Co. of Indiana cut the price of gasoline to 18 cents at service stations.

DES MOINES.—Defending the Transportation Act, Senator Cummins said it is a moral and economic crime to say the Interstate Commerce Commission overvalued the railroads 7 or 8 billion dollars.

KNOXVILLE, IOWA.—Two were killed and two injured in a gasoline explosion.

KANSAS CITY.—Mrs. Hazel Kelly, 22, pleaded guilty to highway robbery and received an indeterminate sentence.

CHICAGO—Episcopal rectors have adopted resolutions approving medical certificates for all members of the church who marry in Chicago.

DES MOINES.—Seven striking shop men of the Northwestern Railroad at Boone, Iowa, were convicted of contempt of court for violating the government injunction and sentenced to short jail terms.

LITCHFIELD, ILL.—Theodore Jackson, a farmer, after striking himself in an attempt to end his life, defied the neighbors to aid him. A deputy sheriff overpowered him.

MEXICO CITY.—Commercial relations between the Mexican government and all persons resident in the state of New York are suspended

A HALLOWE'EN PUZZLE

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On high she flies, up through the skies,
And 'cross the Milky Way,
To find out who she is, just do
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Cut out each of the little drawings and paste on separate pieces of cardboard, of the same shape. Then fit these various pieces together correctly and you will have a picture of a well-known Halloween character.

under specific instructions of President Obregon to Mexican Department of Interior.

PARIS—United States Near East communication, made public in Paris by Ambassador Herriot, looks to protection of churches and schools, seeks to safeguard minorities and guarantee freedom of straits and trade.

BERLIN—Members of reparations commission declined to reveal their plans as they gathered, but will attempt to stabilize the mark.

BOSTON—Secretary Hughes in a speech asserted that the United States refuses to dictate to Europe but will help her, and declares that President Harding's policy will not fetter American independence.

HONOULULU.—Lt. Thomas V. Hynes and Sergeant Ross Lowens, United States army aviators, were killed in a collision of airplanes.

WASHINGTON.—The United States has followed the action of Great Britain, France, Italy and Japan in abandoning control of the Chinese Eastern Railway.

SEATTLE.—Secretary of Labor James J. Davis, donned overalls and "did his trick" as heater at rolls in a steel plant.

CINCINNATI.—Vice President Coolidge asked voters to stand by the President in next Tuesday's elections.

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WITH DARK COSTUMES
With black or very dark fall costumes, smart women are carrying very large handbags of Paisley and possibly a turban and scarf of the same figured material.

Community Returns Thanks for Harvest

New England, N. D., Oct. 30.—The wheels of time turned backward three hundred years here yesterday, when an entire village forgot the dizzy pace of the modern world and knelt, as did their Puritan fathers, to give thanks to the divine power that granted them a bountiful harvest.

For four years farmers of this community watched their crops wither and die. Last spring the community joined in a common prayer for a more successful season. Yesterday the people gathered again to give thanks to the divinity who they believe, heard and granted their prayer.

Pastors of the Catholic, Congregational and Lutheran churches led the thanksgiving service in the large gymnasium of New England's public schools, who farmers and their households who are not "too busy to believe in modern day miracles" turned their faces upward in the old hymn of harvest and thanksgiving "Come Ye Thankful People."

The harvest of the last season has been the most bountiful in the history of this community.

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Dated this 31st day of October A. D. 1922.

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Boris Gdeounow—Farewell of Boris (Mousorgsky)	Feodor Chaliapin 88661 12
Waiting for Your Return (Gee-De-Curtis-Cesar)	Emilio de Gogorza 66094 10
Si mes vora avaient des ailes (Hugo-Hahn) in French	Geraldine Farrar 87348 10
Pagliacci—Vesti la giubba (Leoncavallo) in Italian	Beniamino Gigli 66095 10
Flying Dutchman—Traff ihr das Schiff (Wagner) in German	Marie Jeritta 74777 12
Oh, Sleep! Why Dost Thou Leave Me? (Handel)	John McCormack 66096 10

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Quartet in G Major—Finale (Mozart)	Flonzaley Quartet 74693 12
Zapateado (The Cobbler) (Spanish Dance) (Sarasate)	Violin Solo Jascha Heifetz 66097 10
Serenade (Jarl-F. Kreisler) Violin and Cello Duet	F. Kreisler-H. Kreisler 87578 10
The Maiden's Wish (Chant polonais) (Chopin-Liszt) Piano Solo	Ignace Paderewski 74777 12
Moment Musical (Schubert)	Philadelphia Orchestra 66098 10
Don Juan—Part I (Strauss)	Symphony Orchestra under Albert Coates 55176 12
Don Juan—Part II (Strauss)	Symphony Orchestra under Albert Coates 55177 12
Don Juan—Part III (Strauss)	Symphony Orchestra under Albert Coates 55178 12
Don Juan—Part IV (Strauss)	Symphony Orchestra under Albert Coates 55179 12

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The Gypsy's Warning	Elsie Baker 18944 10
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Call Me Back, Pal o' Mine	Charles Harrison 18946 10
All Over Nothing at All	Aileen Stanley-Billy Murray 18947 10
I'll Stand Beneath Your Window Tonight and Whistle	Stanley-Murray 18948 10
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Those Longing for You Blues—Fox Trot	Benson Orchestra of Chicago 18952 10
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You Remind Me of My Mother—Fox Trot	Whiteman and His Orchestra 18954 10
I Found a Four Leaf Clover—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra 18955 10
Two Little Ruby Rings—Fox Trot	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra 18956 10
Three O'Clock in the Morning—Waltz	Paul Whiteman and His Orchestra 18957 10
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The FLAMING JEWEL

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CHAPTER II

GUIDED BY Quintana's directions the three had made a wide detour to the east, steering by compass for the crossroads beyond Star Pond.

In a dense growth of cedars, on a little ridge traversing wet land, Quintana halted to listen.

Sard and Sanchez, supposing him to be at their heels, continued on, pushing their way blindly through the cedars, clinging to the hard ridge in terror of sink-holes. But their progress was very slow; and they were still in sight, fighting a painful path amid the evergreens, when Quintana suddenly squatted close to the moist earth behind a juniper bush.

At first, except for the thrashing of Sard and Sanchez through the massed obstructions ahead, there was not a sound in the woods.

But, presently, came a soft, swift rhythm like the pace of a forest creature in haste—a discreetly hurrying tread which was more a series of light earth-shocks than sound.

Quintana, kneeling on one knee, lifted his pistol. He already felt the slight vibration of the ground on the hard ridge. The cedars were moving just beyond him now. He waited until, through the parted branches, a face appeared.

The loud report of his pistol startled Sard with the horror of gunshots. Sanchez faced about with gasping, snarling, a weapon in either hand.

In the terrible silence they could hear something heavy floundering in the bushes, choking, moaning, thudding on the ground.

Sanchez began to creep back; Sard, more dead than alive, crawled at his heels. Presently they saw Quintana, waist deep in juniper, looking down at something.

And when they drew closer they saw Georgiades lying on his back under a cedar, the whole front of his shirt from chest to belly a sopping mass of blood.

There seemed no need of explanation. The dead Greek lay there where he had not been expected. At his feet, pistol lay beside him where they had fallen.

Sanchez looked swiftly at Quintana, who said softly:

"Then sure. . . . In his left side pocket, I believe."

Sanchez laid a cool hand on the dead man's heart; then, satisfied, rummaged until he found Georgiades' share of the loot.

Sard, hurriedly displaying a pair of clean but shaky hands, made the division.

When the three men had silently pocketed what was allotted to each, Quintana pushed curiously at the dead man with the toe of his shoe.

"Peste!" he remarked. "I had place, for security, a ver' large diamond in my pistol barrel. Now it is within the interior of this gentleman. . . ." He turned to Sanchez: "I sell him to you. One sap-phire, yes?"

Sanchez shook his head with a slight sneer: "We wait—if you want your diamond, mon capitaine."

Quintana hesitated, then made a grimace and shook his head.

"No," he said, "he has swallow. Let him digest. Allons! March!"

But after they had gone on—two

hundred yards, perhaps—Sanchez stopped.

"Well?" inquired Quintana. Then, with a sneer: "I now recollect that once you have been a butcher in Madrid. . . . Suit your taste, I am Sanchez."

Sard gazed at Sanchez out of sickened eyes.

"You keep away from me until you've washed yourself," he burst out, revolted. "Don't you come near me till you're clean!"

Quintana laughed and seated himself. Sanchez, with a hang dog glance at him, turned and sneaked back on the trail they had traversed. Before he was out of sight Sard saw him fish out a Spanish knife from his hip pocket and unsnap it.

Sanchez made no effort to find them. They had been gone half an hour before he had finished the business that had turned him back. As he stood there, examining his clothing, and washing what he could of the ominous stains from sleeve



Sanchez turned a SNEAKED BACK ON THE TRAIL. THEY HAD TRAVERSED.

and shoe, very far away to the north he heard a curious noise—a faint sound such as he never before heard.

If it were a voice of any sort there was nothing human about it. . . . Probably some sort of unknown bird. . . . Perhaps a bird of prey. . . . That was natural, considering the attraction that Georgiades would have for such creatures. . . . If it were a bird it must be a large one, he thought. . . . Because there was a certain volume to the cry. . . . Perhaps it was a beast, after all. . . . Some unknown beast of the forest. . . .

Sanchez was suddenly afraid. Scarcely knowing what he was doing he began to run along the edge of the bog.

He was tired, or thought he was, but the alarming sounds were filling his ears now; the entire forest seemed full of them, echoing in all directions, coming in upon him from everywhere, so that he knew not in which direction to run.

The next instant he fell headlong over a ledge, struck water, felt himself whirled around in the icy, rushing current, rolled over, tumbled through rapids, blinded, deafened, choked, swept helplessly in a vast green wall of water toward some thing that thundered in his brain an instant, then dashed it into roaring chaos.

Half a mile down the turbulent outlet of Star Pond—where a great sheet of green water pours thirty feet into the tossing foam below— and spinning, dipping, diving, bobbing up like a lost log after the drive, the body of Senor Sanchez danced all alone in the wilderness.

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spilling from soggy pockets diamonds, sapphires, rubies, emeralds, into crystal caves where only the shadows of slim trout stirred.

Very far away to the eastward Quintana stood listening, clutching Sard by one sleeve to silence him.

Presently he said: "My friend, somebody is hunting with hounds in this forest."

"Don't leave me!" gasped the terrified diamond broker. "I don't know where to go—"

Quintana faced him abruptly—with a terrifying smile and glimmer of white teeth—and shoved a pistol into the fold of fat beneath Sard's double chin.

"You hear those dogs? Yes? Ver' well; I also. Run, now. I say to you run ver' damn quick. He! Hou! Allez vous en! Best eet!"

He struck Sard a stinging blow on his fleshy ear with the pistol barrel, and Sard gave a muffled shriek which was more like the squeak of a frightened animal.

"My God, Quintana—" he sobbed. Then Quintana's eyes blazed murder; and Sard turned and ran lumbering through the thicket like a stampeded ox, crashing on and amid withered brake, white birch scrub and briar, not knowing whether he was headed, crazed with terror.

Sard could not run very far. He could scarcely stand when he pulled up and clung to the trunk of a tree. More dead than alive he embraced the tree, gulping horribly for air, every fat-incrusted organ laboring, his senses swimming.

And now, directly ahead, he saw clear gray sky low through the trees. The wood's edge!

He began to run.

As he emerged from the edge of the woods, waist-deep in brush and weeds, wide before his bloodshot eyes spread Star Pond.

Even in his half-stupor brain there was memory enough left for recognition.

He remembered the lake. His gaze traveled to the westward; and he saw Clinch's Dump standing below, stark, silent, the doors swinging open in the wind.

And after a long while he ventured to wobble nearer, sinking through brush and frosted weed, creeping behind boulders, edging along ways closer and closer to that silent house where nothing moved except the wind-blown door.

And now, at last, he set a furtive foot upon the threshold, tiptoed in, peered here and there, sidled to the dining-room, peered in.

When, at length, Emanuel Sard discovered that Clinch's Dump was tenantless, he made straight for the pantry. Here was cheese, crackers, an apple pie, half a dozen bottles of home-brewed beer.

He loaded his arms with all they could carry, stole through the dance hall out to the veranda, which overlooked the lake.

And here Sard slaked his raging thirst and satiated the gnawing appetite of the obese, than which there is no cruder torment to an inert liver and distended paunch.

Munching, guzzling, watching, Sard squatted just within the veranda doorway, anxiously considering his chances.

In all that panorama of forest, swale, and water the only thing that had alarmed him at all by moving was something in the water. When first he noticed it, he almost swooned, for he took it to be a swimming dog.

In his agitation he had risen to his feet; and then the swimming creature almost frightened Sard out of his senses, for it tilted suddenly and went down with a report like the crack of a pistol.

He dimly remembered hearing that beavers behaved that way.

Watching the water he saw the thing out there in the lake again, swimming in erratic circles, its big, dog-like head well out of the water.

It certainly was no dog. A beaver, maybe. Whatever it was, Sard didn't care any longer.

Shivering, Sard filled his mouth with apple and cheese and pulled the cork from another bottle of home-brewed beer.

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BOARD OF TRADE TO TEST VALIDITY OF GRAIN FUTURES ACT

Suit Started Today in Federal District Court.

Chicago, Oct. 30.—The Chicago Board of Trade today made its first move to test the constitutionality of the Grain Futures act when it filed in federal district court here a petition for injunction restraining the government from enforcing the provisions of the act.

The law, enacted to take the place of the former Capper-Tincher Act, declared unconstitutional by the Supreme Court, was passed to become effective Nov. 1.

The bill of complaint, filed by Henry S. Robbins, counsel for the Board, charges that the law seeks to regulate interstate commerce trade that is wholly state; that it interferes with state rights to govern exchanges, and that it seeks to deprive Board members of their property, by admitting representatives of co-operative bodies and permitting them to rebate commissions in violation of rules observed by other members.

Further charges of unconstitutionality are made on the ground that the law makes violations of its provisions a crime "and constitutes the Secretary of Agriculture, the Secretary of Commerce and the Attorney General a commission with power to deprive offenders of their rights to thereafter pursue a lawful avocation; whereas, such criminal laws, are under the constitution enforceable only in courts, with a jury trial.

Attack Other Features.

Other sections granting wide powers of control to the Secretary of Agriculture, who is given authority to designate what exchanges shall or shall not be contract markets, are attacked as unconstitutional.

Fear of what might result from the drastic provisions of the law, the complaint says, may bring on "a serious disturbance of the grain markets of the country."

"Many owners of grain" it states, "will be deprived of the privilege of insuring themselves against price fluctuations through hedging" contracts, and irreparable loss to members and others would result.

Statements contained in that section of the law, summarizing alleged evils of marketing are attacked by the

exchange as "inaccurate." These assertions of supposed evils, the board contends, were disproved at the numerous hearings on the bills.

"Statements before committees did not show that the transactions and prices of grain in future trading are susceptible to speculation, manipulation or control" to the detriment of producers and consumers, the complaint says. The statements did show, it continues, "that such fluctuations as do occur are not, and never have been, an obstruction to, or burden upon, interstate commerce in grain."

The suit which resulted in the former law being declared unconstitutional was brought by individual members of the exchange, but Chief Justice Taft declared in the decision that the board itself should have contested the law. Such a policy is being followed by the board in the present fight, with the approval of the other grain exchanges.

Wife Dead, Husband Ill from Poisoning

Pana, Ill., Oct. 30.—Mrs. W. S. James of Pana, died this morning and her husband, W. S. James, traveling salesman for a St. Louis firm, is critically ill as a result of poisoning. Doctors have been unable to determine the exact nature of the poisoning. The couple were found in their home last night by neighbors. Physicians worked all night in an attempt to save Mrs. James' life.

The candidacy of Mr. Andrew Gump and other Independent candidates, will be ably discussed at the Republican meeting to be held at the Family Theatre on Tuesday evening, October 31st, at 8:15 o'clock p. m. You are cordially invited. 255t2

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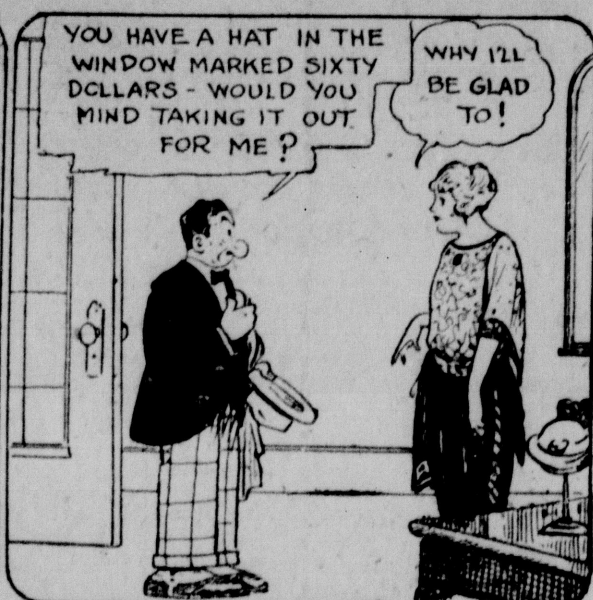
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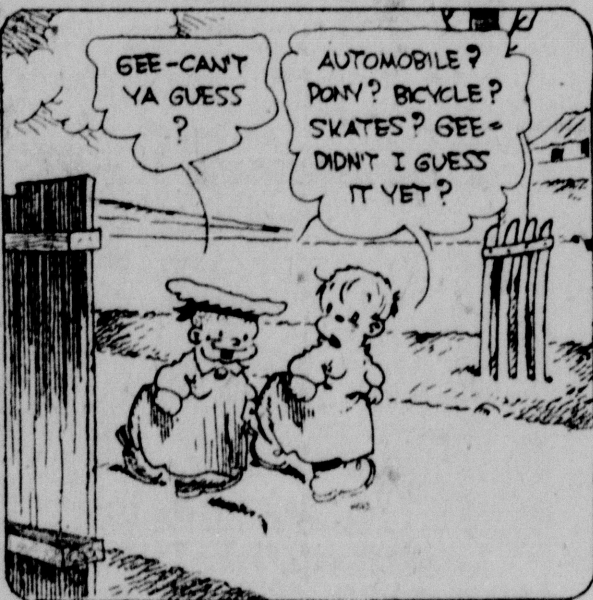
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"Tell the gentleman," said Jack, "that M. Cousins has been suddenly called away."

He hung up and turned exultingly to Edna:

"I've trapped him—old Cousins! Told him a fake story of a business prospect, a Mr. Sanderson I'm supposed to have met on the train. Urged him to get after him at once. Well, here is the Eureka man—our rival—here first! Cousins is the only man I told the yarn to. Do you see? Do you see?"

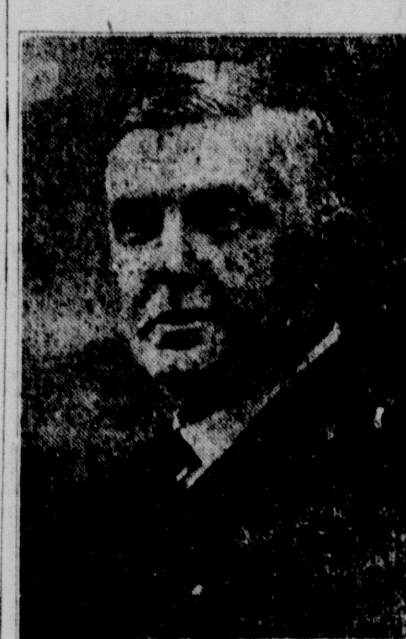
Edna said yes, she saw, and that Cousins was a despicable creature to betray his own firm.

Jack was too excitedly triumphant to observe the wistfulness in his wife's eyes—the look that said she was trying to be patient and reasonable, but that she felt more like an orphan child at a salesman's banquet than a bride on her wedding journey.

"Ha—the old fish not only swallowed hook, line and sinker," went on Jack, tramping up and down, "but he's given the whole darn scheme away."

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"They'll believe the story at home—but I've got to prove it."

"I'll have to jump to the other offices before Cousins gets there. Berlin next. Pack the duds, kids darling, we're off for Ger-man-ee!"

Edna bit her lip. It was not so much that she minded leaving Italy before she had even seen it, but that she couldn't—not with all her love, all her charm and young sweetness, push cold business from Jack's mind.

The jangle of the telephone interrupted her musing. It was Jack's friend, Jim Hart, and soon he was ushered in—a big, breezy, easy-going American whom Europe had influenced.

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Jack told him the entire situation. Hart pondered. Edna, on pretext of packing, left the room before he spoke.

"I say, Jack, don't think me a butt-in," said Hart, a hand on Jack's shoulder, "but which is this—business trip or honeymoon?"

"Why—er—it's our honeymoon, but with business too—"

Jack paused, arrested at the way Hart's glance had followed Edna out of the room.

"Listen, Jim—she doesn't mind, mind, she—"

"Oh, bunk! D'you see her face? Any girl'd mind. If she doesn't raise a howl, it only proves she's a damn good sport."

"You know, old man, here in Europe we don't consider that business is all of life."

"To ask a girl like that to whack up her honeymoon with—but there! I'm going too far. Forgive me, old chap. What did you say Cousins—"

And in another moment everything was forgotten save business.

But that night as they were speeding on the train northward Jack did notice in Edna for the first time an involuntary aloofness and pre-occupation.

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